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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Federal Emergency Management Agency

44 CFR Part 64

Docket ID FEMA-2012-0003

[Internal Agency Docket No. FEMA-8253]

Suspension of Community Eligibility

AGENCY: Federal Emergency Management Agency, DHS.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This rule identifies communities where the sale of flood insurance has been authorized under the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) that are scheduled for suspension on the effective dates listed within this rule because of noncompliance with the floodplain management requirements of the program. If the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) receives documentation that the community has adopted the required floodplain management measures prior to the effective suspension date given in this rule, the suspension will not occur and a notice of this will be provided by publication in the Federal Register on a subsequent date. Also, information identifying the current participation status of a community can be obtained from FEMA's Community Status Book (CSB). The CSB is available at http://www.fema.gov/fema/csb.shtm.

EFFECTIVE DATES: The effective date of each community's scheduled suspension is the third date ("Susp.") listed in the third column of the following tables.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: If you want to determine whether a particular community was suspended on the suspension date or for further information,

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The NFIP enables property owners to purchase Federal flood insurance that is not otherwise generally available from private insurers. In return, communities agree to adopt and administer local floodplain management measures aimed at protecting lives and new construction from future flooding. Section 1315 of the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968, as amended, 42 U.S.C. 4022, prohibits the sale of NFIP flood insurance unless an appropriate public body adopts adequate floodplain management measures with effective enforcement measures. The communities listed in this document no longer meet that statutory requirement for compliance with program regulations, 44 CFR Part 59. Accordingly, the communities will be suspended on the effective date in the third column. As of that date, flood insurance will no longer be available in the community. We recognize that some of these communities may adopt and submit the required documentation of legally enforceable floodplain management measures after this rule is published but prior to the actual suspension date. These communities will not be suspended and will continue to be eligible for the sale of NFIP flood insurance. A notice withdrawing the suspension of such communities will be published in the Federal Register.

In addition, FEMA publishes a Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) that identifies the Special Flood Hazard Areas (SFHAs) in these communities. The date of the FIRM, if one has been published, is indicated in the fourth column of the table. No direct Federal financial assistance (except assistance pursuant to the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief

and Emergency Assistance Act not in connection with a flood) may be provided for construction or acquisition of buildings in identified SFHAs for communities not participating in the NFIP and identified for more than a year on FEMA's initial FIRM for the community as having flood-prone areas (section 202(a) of the Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973, 42 U.S.C. 4106(a), as amended). This prohibition against certain types of Federal assistance becomes effective for the communities listed on the date shown in the last column. The Administrator finds that notice and public comment procedures under 5 U.S.C. 553(b), are impracticable and unnecessary because communities listed in this final rule have been adequately notified.

Each community receives 6-month, 90-day, and 30-day notification letters addressed to the Chief Executive Officer stating that the community will be suspended unless the required floodplain management measures are met prior to the effective suspension date. Since these notifications were made, this final rule may take effect within less than 30 days.

<u>National Environmental Policy Act</u>. This rule is categorically excluded from the requirements of 44 CFR Part 10, Environmental Considerations. No environmental impact assessment has been prepared.

Regulatory Flexibility Act. The Administrator has determined that this rule is exempt from the requirements of the Regulatory Flexibility Act because the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968, as amended, Section 1315, 42 U.S.C. 4022, prohibits flood insurance coverage unless an appropriate public body adopts adequate floodplain management measures with effective enforcement measures. The communities listed no longer comply

with the statutory requirements, and after the effective date, flood insurance will no longer be available in the communities unless remedial action takes place.

<u>Regulatory Classification</u>. This final rule is not a significant regulatory action under the criteria of section 3(f) of Executive Order 12866 of September 30, 1993,

Regulatory Planning and Review, 58 FR 51735.

<u>Executive Order 13132, Federalism</u>. This rule involves no policies that have federalism implications under Executive Order 13132.

Executive Order 12988, Civil Justice Reform. This rule meets the applicable standards of Executive Order 12988.

<u>Paperwork Reduction Act</u>. This rule does not involve any collection of information for purposes of the Paperwork Reduction Act, 44 U.S.C. 3501 <u>et seq</u>.

List of Subjects in 44 CFR Part 64

Flood insurance, Floodplains.

Accordingly, 44 CFR Part 64 is amended as follows:

PART 64--[AMENDED]

1. The authority citation for Part 64 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 42 U.S.C. 4001 <u>et seq.</u>; Reorganization Plan No. 3 of 1978, 3 CFR, 1978 Comp.; p. 329; E.O. 12127, 44 FR 19367, 3 CFR, 1979 Comp.; p. 376.

§ 64.6 [Amended]

2. The tables published under the authority of § 64.6 are amended as follows:

State and Location	Community No.	Effective date authorization/cancellation of sale of flood insurance in community	Current Effective Map Date	Date Certain Federal assistance no longer available in SFHAs
Region III				
Pennsylvania: Ashley, Borough of, Luzerne County.	420596	December 13, 1974, Emerg; September 30, 1980, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	November 2, 2012	November 2, 2012
Avoca, Borough of, Luzerne County.	420597	March 7, 1975, Emerg; July 16, 1981, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-*	-do-
Bear Creek, Township of, Luzerne County.	421136	March 12, 1974, Emerg; September 29, 1978, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Bear Creek Village, Borough of, Luzerne County.	422756	N/A, Emerg; July 26, 2002, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Black Creek, Township of, Luzerne County.	420598	March 9, 1973, Emerg; September 3, 1980, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Buck, Township of, Luzerne County.	421824	February 17, 1976, Emerg; April 15, 1981, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Butler, Township of, Luzerne County.	420599	August 16, 1973, Emerg; December 16, 1980, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Conyngham, Borough of, Luzerne County.	420992	August 24, 1973, Emerg; July 16, 1980, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Conyngham, Township of, Luzerne County.	420600	February 9, 1973, Emerg; February 16, 1977, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Courtdale, Borough of, Luzerne County.	420601	May 1, 1973, Emerg; June 1, 1979, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Dallas, Borough of, Luzerne County.	421825	April 15, 1974, Emerg; January 2, 1981, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Dallas, Township of, Luzerne County.	420602	September 5, 1973, Emerg; April 1, 1988, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Dupont, Borough of, Luzerne County.	422250	July 29, 1974, Emerg; June 15, 1981, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Duryea, Borough of, Luzerne County.	420603	January 12, 1973, Emerg; June 18, 1980, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Edwardsville, Borough of, Luzerne County.	420604	December 1, 1972, Emerg; April 15, 1977, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Exeter, Township of, Luzerne County.	420606	January 19, 1973, Emerg; September 15, 1983, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-

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Fairmount, Township of, Luzerne County.	421827	February 9, 1976, Emerg; April 1, 1981, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Fairview, Township of, Luzerne County.	420993	January 23, 1974, Emerg; June 1, 1979, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Forty Fort, Borough of, Luzerne County.	420607	November 3, 1972, Emerg; April 1, 1977, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Hanover, Township of, Luzerne County.	420608	October 20, 1972, Emerg; May 16, 1977, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Hollenback, Township of, Luzerne County.	421831	September 30, 1975, Emerg; September 17, 1980, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Hunlock, Township of, Luzerne County.	420994	November 5, 1973, Emerg; April 1, 1980, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Huntington, Township of, Luzerne County.	421832	July 2, 1974, Emerg; April 15, 1981, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Jackson, Township of, Luzerne County.	420610	March 16, 1973, Emerg; September 17, 1980, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Jenkins, Township of, Luzerne County.	420611	February 2, 1973, Emerg; May 16, 1977, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Kingston, Borough of, Luzerne County.	420612	October 6, 1972, Emerg; June 1, 1977, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Kingston, Township of, Luzerne County.	420613	December 22, 1972, Emerg; January 2, 1981, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Laflin, Borough of, Luzerne County.	420995	October 4, 1973, Emerg; December 2, 1980, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Lake, Township of, Luzerne County.	421833	October 24, 1975, Emerg; September 3, 1980, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Larksville, Borough of, Luzerne County.	420614	March 23, 1973, Emerg; April 1, 1977, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Lehman, Township of, Luzerne County.	420615	July 10, 1973, Emerg; December 2, 1980, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Luzerne, Borough of, Luzerne County.	420616	March 2, 1973, Emerg; April 15, 1977, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Nanticoke, City of, Luzerne County.	420617	April 4, 1973, Emerg; April 15, 1977, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Nescopeck, Borough of, Luzerne County.	420618	April 16, 1973, Emerg; February 1, 1980, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-

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Nescopeck, Township of, Luzerne County.	420619	March 2, 1973, Emerg; August 1, 1980, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
New Columbus, Borough of, Luzerne County.	421819	July 9, 1975, Emerg; March 16, 1981, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Newport, Township of, Luzerne County.	421822	December 17, 1975, Emerg; December 2, 1980, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Nuangola, Borough of, Luzerne County.	422272	October 15, 1975, Emerg; September 28, 1979, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Penn Lake Park, Borough of, Luzerne County.	422645	July 12, 1976, Emerg; December 5, 1980, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Pittston, City of, Luzerne County.	420620	April 17, 1973, Emerg; May 2, 1977, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Plymouth, Borough of, Luzerne County.	420622	October 27, 1972, Emerg; April 1, 1977, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Plymouth, Township of, Luzerne County.	420623	February 2, 1973, Emerg; April 15, 1977, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Pringle, Borough of, Luzerne County.	420624	January 19, 1973, Emerg; May 2, 1977, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Rice, Township of, Luzerne County.	420996	December 6, 1973, Emerg; January 2, 1981, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Ross, Township of, Luzerne County.	421835	February 9, 1976, Emerg; April 15, 1981, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Salem, Township of, Luzerne County.	420625	May 23, 1973, Emerg; March 18, 1980, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Shickshinny, Borough of, Luzerne County.	420626	December 15, 1972, Emerg; December 31, 1976, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Union, Township of, Luzerne County.	421836	February 18, 1976, Emerg; September 30, 1980, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
West Hazleton, Borough of, Luzerne County.	421821	June 6, 1974, Emerg; July 31, 1978, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
West Pittston, Borough of, Luzerne County.	420628	November 24, 1972, Emerg; April 15, 1977, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
White Haven, Borough of, Luzerne County.	420630	April 4, 1973, Emerg; August 1, 1977, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Wilkes-Barre, City of, Luzerne County.	420631	December 10, 1971, Emerg; September 30, 1977, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-

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Wilkes-Barre, Township of, Luzerne County.	421823	August 13, 1974, Emerg; December 2, 1980, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Wright, Township of, Luzerne County.	420632	May 10, 1973, Emerg; January 16, 1981, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Wyoming, Borough of, Luzerne County.	420633	November 3, 1972, Emerg; November 16, 1977, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Region IV				
Florida: Bronson, Town of, Levy County.	120582	April 11, 1980, Emerg; February 1, 1987, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Cedar Key, City of, Levy County.	120373	August 6, 1975, Emerg; March 1, 1984, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Inglis, Town of, Levy County.	120586	January 10, 1986, Emerg; January 10, 1986, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Levy County, Unincorporated Areas.	120145	November 13, 1970, Emerg; March 1, 1984, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Otter Creek, Town of, Levy County.	120592	February 8, 2005, Emerg; September 1, 2005, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Yankeetown, Town of, Levy County.	120147	November 13, 1970, Emerg; August 20, 1971, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Georgia: Cobb County, Unincorporated Areas.	130052	June 12, 1973, Emerg; January 3, 1979, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Marietta, City of, Cobb County.	130226	September 5, 1974, Emerg; February 15, 1978, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Region V				
Indiana: Batesville, City of, Ripley County.	180507	N/A, Emerg; March 9, 2010, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Ripley County, Unincorporated Areas.	180221	February 11, 1976, Emerg; September 1, 1987, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Wisconsin: Chaseburg, Village of, Vernon County.	550451	August 25, 1975, Emerg; February 4, 1981, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Coon Valley, Village of, Vernon County.	550452	April 7, 1975, Emerg; February 4, 1981, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
De Soto, Village of, Vernon County.	550069	December 15, 1980, Emerg; January 16, 1981, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-

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Genoa, Village of, Vernon County.	555556	May 7, 1971, Emerg; February 26, 1972, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Ontario, Village of, Vernon County.	550457	August 16, 1978, Emerg; N/A, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Readstown, Village of, Vernon County.	550458	April 30, 1971, Emerg; March 16, 1976, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Stoddard, Village of, Vernon County.	555582	April 23, 1971, Emerg; October 20, 1972, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Vernon County, Unincorporated Areas.	550450	September 1, 1972, Emerg; September 29, 1978, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Viola, Village of, Vernon County.	550460	December 5, 1974, Emerg; June 4, 1990, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Region VII				
Missouri: Carl Junction, City of, Jasper County.	290179	October 28, 1975, Emerg; June 1, 1982, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Carterville, City of, Jasper County.	290180	January 17, 1977, Emerg; July 16, 1984, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Cole County, Unincorporated Areas.	290107	January 21, 1982, Emerg; January 21, 1982, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Duenweg, City of, Jasper County.	290182	N/A, Emerg; April 1, 2004, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Jasper County, Unincorporated Areas.	290807	May 15, 1987, Emerg; May 15, 1987, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Jefferson City, City of, Cole County.	290108	April 23, 1971, Emerg; April 15, 1980, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Sarcoxie, City of, Jasper County.	290186	May 29, 1974, Emerg; July 16, 1979, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Webb City, City of, Jasper County.	290187	May 19, 1975, Emerg; June 1, 1982, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Region VIII				
North Dakota: Grafton, City of, Walsh County.	380137	January 17, 1975, Emerg; January 16, 1981, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-
Minto, City of, Walsh County.	380138	June 27, 1975, Emerg; January 16, 1981, Reg; November 2, 2012, Susp.	-do-	-do-

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Park River, City of, Walsh	380139	February 3, 1975, Emerg; May 1, 1980, Reg;	-do-	-do-
County.		November 2, 2012, Susp.		
Walsh County,	380135	March 28, 1978, Emerg; May 1, 1986, Reg;	-do-	-do-
Unincorporated Areas.		November 2, 2012, Susp.		

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Code for reading third column: Emerg. —Emergency; Reg. —Regular; Susp. —Suspension.

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